

**PATENT**

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated August 29, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.